



JC Penney-Roseville Partnership Helps 4-H Grow

Macomb County 4-H Youth Program's partnership with the JC Penney-Roseville store received recognition from National 4-H for being the second highest in the nation for funds raised during the After School Round Up last year. Over \$7100 was donated to Macomb County 4-H. This nationwide program provides our customers the opportunity to make donations to the JC Penney Afterschool Fund at the cash register by rounding up their JC Penney store purchases to the next whole dollar. All donations collected by our local JC Penney-Roseville store was donated to our 4-H County Program.

The next round up dates for this year are:

August 4-17
October 13 – 26
December 1-14

The 4-H Staff would like to thank all the clubs and individuals who have helped out during the Round Up weeks selling baked goods, popcorn, smoothies and informing the public and JC Penney employees of all the 4-H opportunities for youth. We will continue to need help during the upcoming round ups scheduled above. For those individuals who are interested in working at a 4-H display exhibit at the store during round up weeks, we will provide a \$15 gift certificate to JC Penney. Call Jan to sign up at 586 469.7619 or e-mail at jan.gwozdz@macombcountymi.gov.



In addition to raising funds for our program, JC Penney encourages their employees to serve the community. Last year, they were a great help at the Petting Farm and helped judge Club Displays in the Exhibit Building. They are excited to continue in this role so be sure to thank them for their support. Together, we also celebrated Earth Day this past April and employees, volunteers, and staff gave back and worked on a curbside beautification project in front of their store.

Exploration Days Orientation

Exploration Days Orientation will be held at 6:30 pm on Thursday, June 3rd at the VerKuijen Building, 21885 Dunham Road, Clinton Township. This meeting is **mandatory** for everyone attending 4-H Exploration Days. Balances due must be paid on or before this date. Anyone unable to attend should contact Roberta Busquaert at 586-469-6431 or Macomb.4h@macombcountymi.gov.

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Notes from the 4-H Office

No Alcohol at 4-H Sponsored Events

Summer is upon us and the season for shows, clinics and camps has begun. We want to remind everyone that there is **NO ALCOHOL** permitted at any 4-H sponsored events. This includes animal shows sponsored by 4-H clubs that may be open to non-4-H members, camps, workout where parents are observing and/or public clinics that may be sponsored by 4-H groups as fundraisers. These are all 4-H sponsored events and even though the participants may not be 4-H members or volunteers we cannot permit alcohol on the premises. In the case of fairs, the policy of the fair board, regarding alcohol use on the fairgrounds would apply. However, during 4-H activities at the fair, alcohol should not be consumed by anyone participating in or attending the event. Please be sure and discuss this policy with your families. It is also important to include the "No Alcohol Allowed on Premise" policy in any show bills or fliers that your groups distribute so potential participants know about the policy prior to arrival at the event site.

It is our hope that it will not be a problem for those attending the shows, clinics, meetings, workouts and camps to respect this rule. If event participants (adults or youth) are not following the "No Alcohol" rule, it is the responsibility of the group hosting the event to enforce the policy, just as they would enforce any other rules related to the event. Attendees would either need to leave the event or stop the unacceptable behavior. Michigan State University liability coverage will not be in place for groups who do not comply with this policy. Please call the 4-H office with any questions or concerns. Thank you in advance for your assistance in dealing with this issue.

Reminder of Fund Raisers that are **Unacceptable**

One of Michigan 4-H's Guiding Principles is that youth will be active participants in the learning process and this includes fundraising. Michigan 4-H Youth Development has discouraged the use of raffles, bingo, Millionaire parties, Texas Hold Em' tournaments and other games of chance as fund raising activities for many years. These are **not acceptable** fundraising activities for 4-H and must not be held by groups using the name of 4-H. In order to be consistent in our policies, we are changing our position from "discouraged" to **not allowing** raffles, bingo, Millionaire parties, Texas Hold Em' tournaments and other games of chance as acceptable fundraisers for 4-H affiliated organizations. This will bring us in line with the National 4-H Headquarters.

Please see the National Fact Sheet on this subject at <http://www.national4-hheadquarters.gov/library/fs-raffle%2001-23-07.pdf>

Make Sure to Maintain Your Screened Volunteer Status

In order to maintain your screened volunteer status, every year all screened volunteers must turn in a signed enrollment form and code of conduct form. If a year has lapsed without receiving these forms into the office, a person is no longer considered screened and must go through the volunteer selection process from the beginning. The process includes an application, three reference checks, background checks, attending an orientation, and an interview. So even if you plan on taking a year or two off from active volunteering, we strongly recommend you turn in your enrollment and code of conducts forms in, even if you are not affiliated with a club. We will enroll you into our Macomb County 4-H Resource Club. Any questions about your volunteer status can be emailed directly toward Vickie Hart:

veronica.hart@macombcountymi.gov

Pin Request

Year pins for 2009-2010 4-H members are due to the 4-H office by July 16th. General leaders can request year pins for members by telephone, e-mail, or mail. Include the number of pins needed for each year. Pins are awarded based on years completed, beginning at age five. Member pins are available for years one through 14.

Club Enrollment Packets

Re-enrollment materials and club manual updates will be ready in August. Materials not picked up at the Armada Fair will be mailed to general leaders after the fair. Club enrollment meeting dates will be set and announced in the 4-H E-mail Announcements.

Annual Summary Financial Statements & Inventory Forms Due November 1st

Annual Summary Financial Statement and 4-H Club Inventory Forms will be mailed to general leaders in August. These forms should be filled out for 2009-10 and returned no later than November 1, 2010 to the County Extension Office. MSU Extension is federally required to have these forms on file for each 4-H group upon the completion of each program year, even if the group doesn't handle money or have an inventory.

News You Can Use

WHAT SHADE OF GREEN ARE YOU?

The Detroit Zoo has printed a handy, put in your wallet, "SHADES OF GREEN" guide (from TADPOLE to FERN, JUNGLE, TREE FROG, ORGANIC, MOSS, FOREST, and EVERGREEN) packed with ideas to help lighten your impact on the Earth and the animals that share it with us. Some of the easiest and least expensive behavioral changes from this guide are listed below: For more information go to www.detroitzoo.org/shadesofgreen.

- Switch to compact fluorescent bulbs.
- Turn off lights in empty rooms.
- Turn off the TV when no one is actually watching.
- Turn off the tap while brushing your teeth.
- Turn your hot water heater down to 120 degrees F.
- Run your dishwasher only when full.
- Wash your clothes in cold water.
- Take short showers.
- Take reusable bags to the store. Make your goal NEITHER PAPER NOR PLASTIC.
- Drink tap water when available, in a reusable container if needed. AVOID PLASTIC BOTTLES and RECYCLE THEM when you do use them.
- Check your car's tire pressure weekly and obey the speed limit.
- Use rechargeable batteries.
- RECYCLE, RECYCLE, RECYCLE: Printer cartridges, household batteries, clean paper, plastic bags and containers, tin cans, aluminum, glass. Donate unwanted clothes and household items to a resale shop. Give old books to the library book sale.

WHEN SHOULD YOU BUY ORGANIC FRUITS AND VEGETABLES?

Answer: when they require a lot of pesticides to grow or because they are most likely to have pesticide residue. A number of groups recognize the following "dirty dozen" and "cleanest 12":

DIRTY DOZEN

Apples
Bell Peppers
Celery
Cherries

Peaches
Nectarines
Pears
Potatoes

CLEAN 12

Asparagus
Avocados
Bananas
Broccoli

Mangoes
Onions
Papaya
Pineapples

EAT FISH?

The Monterey Bay (CA) Aquarium publishes a guide to making environmentally friendly seafood choices. They divide options into Best Choices (abundant, caught or farmed in an environmentally friendly manner); Good Alternatives (some concerns with habitat impact); and Avoid (caught or farmed in environmentally harmful ways). It's important to ask where the seafood is from. Example: Alaska Wild Salmon and Farmed Rainbow Trout are on the "Best" list, but Lake Superior Trout is on the "Good" list and farmed and Atlantic salmon and Lake Huron and Michigan Trout are on the "Avoid" list. The lists (which include a Central US version) change frequently. Go to www.seafoodwatch.org for the latest.



Potluck BBQ and Nutrition Lesson

Please join us at Dodge Park in Sterling Heights on Tuesday, August 24, 2010 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. We are hosting our annual Nutrition Potluck Barbecue. The 4-H mentor staff will supply hotdogs, hamburgers, and paper products. We are asking that each match/family please bring a dish to pass. Please inform Rachel of the dish or items you are bringing to help us avoid duplications. After dinner and the nutrition lesson, you are free to enjoy the trails at Dodge Park, so dress comfortably! Call Rachel to RSVP by August 23, at 586-783-8163 or rcalca@macombcountymi.gov

Club & Committee News



K-9 & KOMPANY TO HOLD ANNUAL DOG FUN MATCH

On June 12th, K-9 & Kompany will hold its Fun Match at Wolcott Farm. Judging of Showmanship, Obedience, Agility, and Rally Obedience will begin at 10 a.m. There will also be fun classes, basket raffles and lunch can be purchased. Basket raffle winners will be drawn during the lunch break. Afternoon judging will begin at 1:30. Bring a chair and enjoy the afternoon at our premier dog event. Please leave any non-participating dogs at home.

EXPANSION OF YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM

This summer, the Macomb 4-H Youth Mentor Program will expand to include mentoring and life skills training for children of prisoners. 4-H Mentor will receive federal grant dollars from the Department of Health and Human Services under a program called "Caregivers' Choice", which was designed to provide mentors to children between the ages of 4 and 18 with a parent in a federal or state prison. The need for such a program was documented in a study that showed:

- The number of children under age 18 with a mother in prison more than doubled since 1991
- The majority of prisoners reported having a minor child, a quarter of which were age 4 or younger
- More than a third of minor children will reach age 18 while their parent is incarcerated
- Incarcerated parents of minor children are most likely to be age 25-34 (Parents in Prison and Their Minor Children/BJS/August 2008)

Screened and trained volunteer mentors will be matched with a youth in the community and visit them weekly for one year. Training and support will be provided by MSUE 4-H mentor staff. If you are interested in volunteering for this program, or would like additional information, please call Jan Gwozdz at 586-469-7619 or jan.gwozdz@macombcountymi.gov.

Dog, Pocket Pet and Goat Project Books: are available on the 4-H county website

http://www.macombcountymi.gov/msuextension/4h_index.htm. These project books are required in order to show at the Armada Fair. Books are due to the 4-H county office by the third Monday in July (July 19). Dog and pocket pet books are found under companion animals and goat books are found under livestock.

PQA Certification Training

A PQA certification training will be offered on Sunday, June 13th at the Armada Grange Hall from noon to approximately 2pm. **Registration is required in order to have enough materials by contacting the 4-H office at 586-469-6431 with name and age of child.** This training is appropriate for all youth raising livestock, not just swine.

Sheep, Swine and Goat Tagging

This year the Power Sports Weekend was scheduled for the first weekend in June at Armada Fairgrounds. Therefore the Livestock Sale Committee changed the tagging date for Sheep, Swine and Goats to Sunday, June 13th from 10am to noon.

However, the new tagging date conflicts with an MSU Block and Bridle Lamb show scheduled for the same day. The Livestock 4-H Sale committee voted to provide one alternative tagging date for those youth who attend the above mentioned show. Those youth who attend the MSU Block and Bridle Lamb Show on June 13, must bring their lambs to the Armada Fairgrounds on Monday, June 14 @7:30-8:30 pm. In addition, those youth who tag on Monday June 14 will be **ineligible** for all rate of gain classes at the Armada Fair 2010. Those individuals in which this applies to will need to sign a form attesting they understand these conditions.

Rabbit and Poultry Tagging

Youth involved in small animal market livestock will need to have their animals tagged or tattooed on Sunday, July 18th 2010 from 10am to Noon at the Armada Fairgrounds. **Please note the time change.**

4-H Livestock Program and Sale Meetings

The next 4-H Livestock Program and Sale meetings will be held on Monday, June 28 and Monday, July 26 at the Armada Fair Office. The Program Meeting will be held at 6pm and the Sale at 7pm.

Fair News

PETTING FARM SIGN UP

	9-1	1-5	5-9
Monday Aug 16th	3-9 Opening Day Only	School Section 3-6	Romeo Rough Riders 6-9
Tuesday Aug 17th	♥♥♥	Mini Mighty & All 1-5	♥♥♥ A Little Tacky 7-9 5-7
Wednesday Aug 18th	♥♥♥	Clever Clovers 1-5	Hoof Beats Rays More Riding 5-7 Rascals 7-9
Thursday Aug 19th	♥♥♥ Almont Livestock 11-1	K-9 & Kompany 1-5	♥♥♥
Friday Aug 20th	Alarro 9-1	♥♥♥	Pirates 5-9
Saturday Aug 21st	♥♥♥	Fantastic Felines 1-5	Midnight Riders 5-9
Sunday Aug 22nd	Ray Community 9-1	Northern Macomb 1-Closing 7	Northern Macomb 1-Closing 7

♥♥♥ **Coverage Still Needed!!!** ♥♥♥
Call Vickie to Sign Up-586.469-6431

Exhibit Building Club Displays

Club displays will be set up on Saturday, August 14 from Noon to 4pm. Remember the 4-H Fair theme for this year is : Take the Path 4-H Paves 4 U.

Non-Animal 4-H Judging: will be held Sunday August, 15 from 10 am to 2pm. Superintendents are asked to check in at 8:00 am, Teen Clerks at 8:30 am, and Judges at 9:00 am. Judging for clubs will begin at 10am.

Day Chairperson-Exhibit

Monday 8/16/10 2:24 pm-6:30 pm	Sue Kutchey Romeo Rough Riders
Monday 8/16/10 6:15 pm-10:00 pm	Tom Harmon Berville Barn Busters
Tuesday 8/17/10 8:45 am-11:00 am 11:00 am-1:30 pm	Cathy Cooper/Mini Mighty & All Sue Wilkinson/Ambassadors
Tuesday 8/17/10 1:15 pm-6:00 pm	♥♥♥
Tuesday 8/17/10 5:45 pm-10:00 pm	Anita Cipa Kathy Defour Little Tacky Just 4 Fun
Wednesday 8/18/10 8:45 am-1:30 pm	Valerie Cusamono Clever Clovers
Wednesday 8/18/10 1:15 pm-6:00 pm	Mary Grettenberger School Section
Wednesday 8/18/10 5:45 pm-10:00 pm	♥♥♥
Thursday 8/19/10 8:45 am-1:30 pm	Jennifer Miller Alarro
Thursday 8/19/10 1:15 pm-6:00 pm	Sue Wilkinson K 9 & Kompany
Thursday 8/19/10 5:45 pm-10:00 pm	Bonnie Klosterman Washington Raiders
Friday 8/20/10 8:45 am-1:30 pm	Patricia Fons Pirates
Friday 8/20/10 1:15 pm-6:00 pm	Rachel Calcaterra 4-H Mentoring
Friday 8/20/10 5:45 pm-10:00 pm	Karie Richardson Hoofbeats & More
Saturday 8/21/10 8:45 am-1:30 pm	Marilyn Bohm Ray Community
Saturday 8/21/10 1:15 pm-6:00 pm	Faye Cerku Midnite Riders
Saturday 8/21/10 5:45 pm-10:00 pm	Susan Balabuch Ray's Riding Rascals
Sunday 8/22/10 8.45 am-1:30 pm	DeLise Kudzia North Country
Sunday 8/22/10 1:15 pm-5:30 pm	♥♥♥
Sunday 8/23/09 5:15 pm-9:00 pm	Sharon Knust Northern Macomb

Fair News (continued)

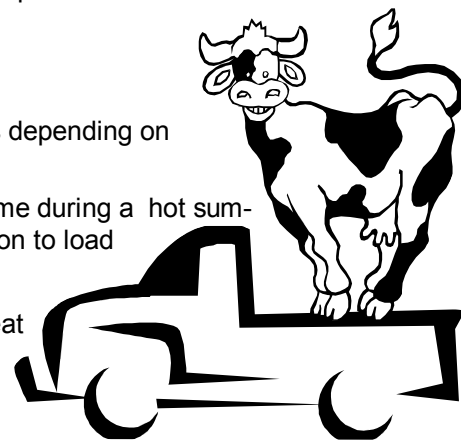
Good Management Practices for Transporting Livestock to the Fair

Prior to transportation of livestock to the fair:

- Clean and properly disinfect the trailer. Keep the trailer free of manure and debris to decrease the risk of spreading disease between facilities and to prevent animals from becoming dirty. Dry, non-slip flooring should be provided.
- Have all animal health documentation completed and ready to go. Have any necessary tests completed in plenty of time for results and paperwork to be completed. Carry all necessary documentation in the truck while hauling livestock.
- Preload everything except the livestock. Livestock should be on the trailer for minimal amount of time possible to avoid injury and stress, especially due to heat.
- Allow adequate time for loading animals on the trailer and transportation to ensure arrival at the fair in plenty of time for check in.

Transportation of livestock

- Livestock should be hauled during the cool part of the day, mornings or evenings depending on when the animals need to arrive at the fair for check-in.
- Keep the trailer moving to avoid build up of heat. It takes only a short period of time during a hot summer day for the temperature to rapidly rise in a stationary trailer. This is one reason to load the other items in the truck prior to loading the livestock.
- Do not crowd livestock in a trailer. This could lead to injury, bruising, or create heat stress. Make multiple trips if necessary. Do not allow species to commingle inside the trailer.
- Always follow humane animal handling practices to ensure safety and welfare of both humans and animals.



Attention 4-H Clubs

Please note that if your club is showing any animals, including dogs, the children will have to fill out 3 forms:

1. The 4-H Permission Slip
2. The Hold Harmless Agreement
3. The Exhibitor Agreement Form

These forms are available at the Armada Fair Office or at www.armadafair.org

All Fair Entry Forms need to be turned in to the Armada Fair Office in the month of June. **June 30th is the last day they will accept 4-H fair entries.**

Fair Ground and Exhibit Building Clean up and Set-up

This will take place on SUNDAY, AUGUST 8th from **10:00 am-4:00 pm**. All clubs who participate in the fair are expected to help clean up and set up buildings on this day. On this day we will also be setting up the 4-H Exhibit building area. There will be a raffle for youth who participate in at least three hours of the clean up for ride wrist bands.

Come join in the fun! Your commitment to the 4-H program is appreciated.

Upcoming Events

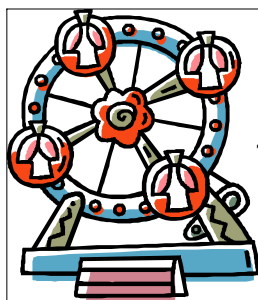
Volunteers Needed to Promote 4-H at Metro Beach Nature Center

Metro Beach Nature Center June 12

Metro Beach Nature Center, in cooperation with the Macomb County Health Department and Macomb Intermediate School District, will be hosting "No Child Left Inside - Get Out and Play!" on June 12 from 11 am to 3 pm. There will be hikes and other outdoor activities to inspire families to get out and explore. The Nature Center would like us to staff a table at this event that would promote 4-H and have youth gardening activities for those who stop by. We're looking for a club to volunteer to do this. Anne will work with you to select some easy gardening activities and the 4-H Office will cover any expenses connected with those activities. If your club is interested, contact Anne at 469-6431.

Wolcott Farm Country Fair June 19 and 20

The Wolcott Farm staff has asked us to have an informational table at their Country Fair on Saturday June 19 and Sunday June 20, 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. If you only want to commit to one day, we can divide this task among two clubs. The 4-H Office will provide you with all of the necessary promotional materials. If your club is interested, **contact Anne at 469-6431.**



4-H Day at Cedar Point Friday June 25, 2010

~ Attention all 4-H Members, Advisors, Parents, and Friends ~
Get to the "Point" and Support 4-H!

4-H Rate Ticket Prices:

Students (grades K-12) \$32.00

Adults \$34.00

Junior/Senior \$17.00

(Junior - Ages 3 & Older, under 48")

(Senior - Ages 62 and Over)

Regular gate price: \$45.99

Tickets are available at the 4-H window from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. Please have a representative purchase tickets for a club or group. The representatives should have proof of 4-H membership.

~ Proceeds benefit the Erie County 4-H Committee ~

Insect World Science Camp will be held on the MSU campus from July 18 to 21, 2010. This residential camp is available to children aged 9-12. If you are interested in bugs, come explore this largest and most fascinating group of animals on planet Earth! At Insect World Science Camp you can enjoy the benefits of campus living while hunting for bugs. Counselors will be science majors who are excited about sharing their experiences with you. You will make your own insect

collecting gear and go on a safari in the forests, meadows, and wetlands of MSU. For those who do not wish to stay on campus, there is also a commuter plan available.

A limited number of partial scholarships are available. Register by June 18, 2010. More information and a program registration brochure are online at <http://www.bughouse.msu.edu/pdfinsectWorldScienceCamp2010.pdf>. For more information, contact Barb Stinnett at (517) 355-4662 or stinnett@msu.edu.

State 4-H and FFA Livestock Judging Contest July 16, 2010- MSU Pavilion, East Lansing, MI

Participants can enhance their livestock evaluation and selection skills, as well as improve their communication and decision making skills. This contest will include both individual and team competition. Entries are due July 1. Rules and applications for this contest can be found on the MSU Animal Science web site at: <http://www.canr.msu.edu/anscikids/events.html>

Upcoming Events (continued)

Model Rocketry Project

This project, headed by Nancy Davis, is open to all 4-Hers within Macomb County. There is no charge for this project, but participants are expected to keep the packet of information given to them during their first year of participation for use in subsequent years.

A MANDATORY MEETING FOR 1ST YEAR MEMBERS (even if you've taken rocketry through another organization) will take place on Wednesday, July 14th at 6 p.m. in the Ray Township Hall, located on Wolcott Road just north of 29 Mile Road. This class will cover building tips and safety! **You must RSVP by July 13th** with Mrs. Davis (586-784-9410) or Mr. Nick Knust (586-784-8537). We will begin building rockets at this meeting. Those attending will need a Skill Level 1 rocket kit and white glue and/ or plastic cement (as per instructions on rocket kit). Do not bring other supplies listed in the next paragraph to this first meeting. Parents should plan on staying to supervise 4-H members under age 12.

SUPPLIES NEEDED FOR THIS PROJECT: rocket, engines, extra igniters (engines come with some, but usually need more), wadding, paint, white glue and/or plastic cement (read instructions on rocket kit); Note: Hot glue is not acceptable. Clear coat spray (Matte, satin, or glossy) to finish the rocket and launch pad are optional

REMEMBER, SAFETY FIRST. Rocket engines are made of gun power and must be handled with care. **NEVER LAUNCH WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION** no matter how experienced you are.

FLIGHT SCHEDULE FOR NEW AND RETURNING MEMBERS:

All flights will be held at the Ray Township Park on Wolcott Road just north of 29 Mile Road.

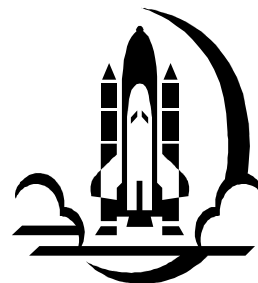
1st Flight Wednesday, July 28th 6:00pm

2nd Flight Wednesday, Aug 4th 6:00pm

(Please park as far back as possible to leave room for those attending the Township Board Meeting tonight)

3rd Flight Wednesday, Aug 11th 6:00 pm

You may bring rockets from prior years to fly, but they will not eligible to show at the Armada Fair.



4-H Olympics! Open to all 4-H Youth!

Join us on Thursday, June 10, for our annual 4-H Youth Program Olympics! We will eat dinner first, then we will go outside so the games can begin! We will have egg and spoon races, potato sack races, tug of war, and more! This activity promotes physical activity, health, good sportsmanship, and teamwork. Please remember to wear comfortable clothing and wish for good weather!!! This activity is open to all 4-H Clubs and is held at the VerKuilen Building (4-H Office) from 6:30-8:30 p.m. Hope to see you there! Call Rachel to RSVP by June 9th at 586-783-8163 or

rcalca@macombcountymi.gov

MASTER GARDENER PLANT EXCHANGE

The annual MG Plant Exchange will take place in the Extension parking lot on Saturday, June 5th, from approximately 9 a.m. (some will be there earlier) to 12 noon. You don't have to be a Master Gardener to participate. Please identify any plants you bring as specifically as possible.

NEXT MASTER GARDENER CLASS

The next Master Gardener Class will be on Tuesday evenings, 6-10 p.m., starting August 17 through October 26. The topics covered in the 11 week class are: Plant Science, Soil Science, Woody Ornamentals, Vegetable, Flowers, Lawn Care, Back Yard Fruit, Household Pests, Indoor Plants, Healthy Plant Management, Water Quality, and Volunteer Orientation. The cost is \$300. If you are interested in taking the class or want more information, call 496-6440 (MSUE Ag/Hort Dept). Applications will be sent to those who have called when they are available.

Macomb County 4-H Calendar of Events - June 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		2010 Knapp Memorial 4-H Horse Leadership Award 1		4-H Exploration 3 Days Orientation- 6:30, MSUE office 3		Project Clover 5K walk/Run Armada Fairgrounds, 9 am 5
Horse Show, EMHA 4-H fund Raiser, Camp Rotary 6					State 4-H trail Ride, June 11-13, Goose Creek Trail Camp, <u>Grayling MI</u> Beef Showcase, June 11-13 <u>MSU Pavilion</u> 11 4-H King and Queen Portfolios Due to the 4-H Office 5 pm	State 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Expo, MSU 12 <u>State 4-H Trail Ride continues</u> K-9 & Ko Dog-Fun Match, <u>Wolcott Farm</u> No Child Left Inside, Metro Beach Nature Center 11-3
State 4-H Trail Ride <u>continues</u> MI Beef Showcase <u>continues</u> Swine, Lamb, Goat Tagging, Armada Fairgrounds, 10 am-Noon Pork Quality Assurance Training, Armada Grange Hall, Noon-2 pm B&B N. Exposure Club Lamb Show, MSU Pavilion, East Lansing 13	Outdoor Education & Rec. Meeting (shooting sports), 7 pm @ Huron Pointe Sportsman Association 14			MMPA/4-H Mile Marketing Tour, June 17-18, Novi 17	MMPA/4-H Milk Marketing Tour continues Spartan Classic Jr. Hog Show & Spartan Jackpot, MSU Pavilion, East Lansing 18	Spartan Jr. Hog Show & Spartan Jackpot Show continues Light Horse 4-H Show, Camp Rotary 4-H Global Village Cultural Experience, Howell Nature Center 19
Spartan Jr. Hog & Jackpot Shows continues 4-H Light Horse Show, Camp Rotary continues Global Village Cultural Experience continues 20			4-H Exploration Days, June 23-25, 2010, MSU 23	4-H Exploration Days continues 24	4-H Exploration Days continues 4-H Day at Cedar Pointe 25	State 4-H Goat Show, Shiawassee Fairgrounds 4-H Light Horse Show, Camp Rotary 26
4-H Mini/Draft Show, Camp Rotary 27	4-H Livestock Sale Meeting, 7 p.m., Armada Fairgrounds Livestock Prog. Committee Mtg, 6 pm @ Fair Grnds. Horse Meeting 7 pm Camp Rotary		Fair Entry Forms Due to the Fair Office (No Exceptions) 30			

Macomb County 4-H Calendar of Events - July 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	4-H Discovery Camp, July 5-9, MSU 5	4-H Discovery Camp continues 6	4-H Discovery Camp continues 7	4-H Discovery Camp continues 8	4-H Discovery Camp continues 9	4-H Mini/Draft Show, Camp Rotary 10
4-H Learning Science Through the Arts Camp, July 11-14, <u>Kettunen Center</u> 4-H Mini/Draft Show, Camp Rotary 11	4-H Learning Science Through the Arts Camp continues 12	4-H Learning Science Through the Arts Camp continues 13	4-H Learning Science Through the Arts Camp continues 14	15	16	Operation Military Kids Adventure Camp-SANG 17
Insect World Science Camp, July 18-21, MSU 4-H EMHA Fund-raiser, Camp Rotary 4-H Poultry & Rabbit Tattooing/Tagging, Armada Fairgrounds 10 -12 18	Insect World Science Camp Continues 19 Goat, Dog, Pocket Pet Project Books Due to 4-H Office by 5 pm	Insect World Science Camp continues 20	Insect World Science Camp continues 21	22	23	24
25	4-H Livestock Sale Meeting, 7 pm Armada Fairgr. 26	27	4-H King & Queen Interviews, Wolcott Farm 28	29	30	31

Macomb County 4-H Calendar of Events - August 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
4-H Great Lakes and Natural Resources Camp, Aug.1-7, Presque Isle 1	GLNR camp continues 2	GLNR camp continues 3	GLNR Camp continues 4	GLNR Camp continues 5	GLNR camp continues 6	4-H Horse Fun Show, Camp Rotary 7 GLNR camp continues
4-H Armada Fair Clean up and Set Up, 10 am-4 pm 8	9	10	11	12	13	4-H Exhibit Building Club Display Set up: Noon-4 pm 14
4-H non-animal Projects Judging Armada Fairgrounds, 10 am-2 pm 15	Armada Fair, Aug. 16-22, 16	Armada Fair, 17	Armada Fair 18	Armada Fair 19	Armada Fair 20 4-H Livestock Sale and Small Animal Silent Auction	Armada Fair 21
Armada Fair last day Dismantle 4-H Barn 8 pm 22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				